

PROCTOR SHOWS BIG GAINS

Early Returns Show Increase in Republican Vote

Cabot, Sept. 4.—The Republicans made a big gain in this town in the vote for governor, amounting to 23 per cent. The vote was as follows: Proctor 184, Clement 77, Hanson 7.

LIGHT VOTE IN ST. ALBANS.
Falling Considerably Below Record of Two Years Ago.

St. Albans, Sept. 4.—A light vote is being cast here today. Up to one o'clock 633 votes had been cast against 566 in 1900 in the same time. The heaviest vote is in ward one, the largest Republican ward for its size in the city. Four years ago for representative the city cast 1,250 votes.

GANS WON ON A FOUL

Goldfield, Nev., Sept. 4.—Batting Nelson lost yesterday's fight by fouling Joe Gans in the 4th round of the best and longest fight seen in many years. Both men were tired when the fight ended, but Gans was apparently the stronger. He was way ahead on points and had smashed and cut Nelson all through the fight without being severely hurt himself. Shortly after the 4th round began the men were in their usual clinch. Nelson had his head on Gans' shoulder and his arm down. Several times he hit Gans below the belt, apparently feeling for a vital spot. At last he drew back his right arm and hit Gans a vicious blow square in the groin. The colored boy sank to his knees and rolled over on his back. Referee Siler without hesitation ordered Nelson to his corner and awarded the fight to Gans on a foul.

Siler's decision received almost unanimous approval. The foul was so obvious that not even men who had bet on Nelson could say that it had not been committed. All through the long contest Nelson had employed rough tactics. He repeatedly battered Gans, and had to have his head pulled away repeatedly by the referee.

Fought With Broken Hand.
Gans in many ways put up a remarkable fight. His endurance surprised everyone. His work was the more wonderful in that he broke his right hand in the 3rd round. Never after that did he strike a blow with it, with the exception of a few short arm jolts while clinching. He did all his work with the left hand. Gans said he knew he could finish Nelson, as he was comparatively strong and Nelson was growing weaker all the time. "Larry" Sullivan announced for Gans that he would meet Nelson in two weeks in another fight, as he was sure he could whip him and did not want to take advantage of the foul.

Gans explained that he did not want to box Nelson, for he found early that he could protect himself in clinches and realized that the exertion in fighting that way was less than if he stood back and did some show boxing. He was hitting Nelson most of the time, and making the Dane do most of the work.

Everything for Gans.
The first 15 rounds of the fight were fast. After that the fighting slowed up. Although Gans was far ahead of Nelson on points and most of the time looked like a sure winner, Nelson put up a wonderful fight. Time and again Gans would jolt him on the jaw, sending him back. His knees would bend and his eyes would glaze, but he held on and would come back fighting as hard as ever. The minute's rest at the corners always did him good, and he would come back fresh and strong. On nearly half a dozen occasions, when it seemed that another blow would put him out, the going saved him.

On occasions he apparently had the advantage. He would hit Gans as they broke from a clinch, and the colored boy would hang and wrestle. Gans fought a clean fight. Twice when he knocked Nelson down he picked him up. Once when one of Gans' punches knocked Nelson through the ropes, Gans picked him up and helped him to his feet. As the colored boy stood with his hands down waiting for Nelson to steady himself, Nelson gave him a vicious blow in the stomach. He was roundly hissed for this by the crowd.

DEMOCRATS IN ARKANSAS.

Appear to Have Won Out by Majority of 50,000.

Little Rock Ark., Sept. 4.—The biennial election was held yesterday. Partial returns indicate that Congressman John H. Little, Democratic nominee for governor, will have a majority of 50,000 over John Worthington, Republican. Estimates last night are that of the 133 members of the State Senate and House at least 125 will be Democrats.

DROVE INTO A POLE AVOIDING WAGON

Charles W. Lynde, Wealthy Business Man, Was Killed on Long Island Last Night.

Babylon, L. I., Sept. 4.—Charles W. Lynde, a wealthy retired business man residing at Patchogue, was killed at Islip last night in an automobile accident. Mr. Lynde, who was driving, attempted to turn out for a wagon when his machine struck a telegraph pole and he and a Miss Chandler and the chauffeur were thrown out. Mr. Lynde was almost instantly killed. Miss Chandler and the chauffeur escaped without serious injury.

Lynde was a son of the late Charles Roland Lynde, founder of the Lynde prizes in Princeton university. He married during his college days Miss Mary Ward of Trenton, N. J. He suddenly left New York for Australia, where he made a fortune. On his return he found that his father had died, leaving several millions to be divided between himself and his brother, R. H. Lynde. It had been thought he was dead, and his share of the estate was partitioned between his brother and a married sister. However, his brother arranged to give him his share of the estate, soon after the sister began suit following the action.

Lynde, who had married an English woman, his first wife having obtained a divorce from him, announced that he would become a British subject, but his stay in England was short and he came back to the United States and bought a fine state at Patchogue.

NO CONCESSIONS SAYS PRES. PALMA

Believes Also That He Will Be Able to Handle Cuban Situation Without United States Intervention.

Havana, Sept. 4.—President Palma in an interview last night put an end to any expectation that he would make any concession whatever to the rebels beyond the offer of pardon already offered.

Concerning American intervention President Palma said: "That matter has been under consideration but we believe we can control the situation without any outside aid. We shall put down this senseless rebellion by force and we feel supply confident of our ability to do it." No fighting of consequence is reported.

WHIRLWIND CAMPAIGN.

Republicans to Work Maine This Week—Cannon, Taft, Lodge Speakers.

Portland, Me., Sept. 4.—The final week of the Maine political campaign began yesterday and will be one of the busiest and most important in the history of Maine politics. Rallies will be held every night in some part of the state, and the finishing touches will be made to the plans for the election day fight, one week from today, when governor, four congressmen, state senators, representatives and county officers will be elected.

Speakers of the week include Joseph G. Cannon, speaker of the house of representatives, who is assigned to address a rally at Bangor, evening, also three attorneys, Secretary of War William H. Taft, Senators Henry Cabot Lodge of Massachusetts and Eugene Hale of Maine.

WILL BE A TOTAL LOSS.

U. S. Transport Sheridan Has Been Abandoned—Pierced Amidship.

Honolulu, Sept. 4.—Efforts to pull the transport Sheridan off the rocks have been abandoned and it is now believed that the vessel will be a total loss. The person aboard the vessel spent the night in darkness, the lightning machinery being disabled. It is reported that there is water in the vessel above the fire rooms.

The transport appears to be pierced amidship by the rocks on which she was wrecked. It is planned to anchor the Sheridan and call for further assistance.

BEGINNING TO UNLOAD.

Pennsylvania R. R. Disposing of Stock in Trunk Lines.

Philadelphia, Sept. 4.—To avoid the charge that it is seeking to control the coal traffic to tide water the Pennsylvania railroad has begun to get rid of its enormous holdings in Baltimore and Norfolk and Western railroad stocks, by relinquishing control of these stocks the company may prevent threatened federal action. Wall street believes that the exchange of Pennsylvania will be followed by other trunk lines holding large blocks in parallel roads and fears are felt that a perfect avalanche of stock may come.

RESULTED IN DEADLOCK.

Balloting for General of Society of Jesuits of the World.

Rome, Sept. 4.—Balloting this morning among delegates from the Jesuit orders of the world assembled to elect a successor to the late Father Martin, general of the society, resulted in a deadlock, and it is thought that no choice will be made until the end of the week, owing to the stand taken by many delegates against the selection of an Italian. The chances of Father Rudolph Meyer of St. Louis appear to be considerably brighter.

NO FEARS FELT.

Regarding the Cruiser Boston Said to Have Grounded.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 4.—A message from the commander of the cruiser Boston announcing its arrival at Bell Ingham Bay, received this morning by the Navy Department, makes no reference to the grounding of the vessel at Anacortes. The department believes the accident was not serious enough to have caused substantial damage.

CLEMENT HAS LARGE MAJORITY

Leads Proctor in Barre City Near 400 Votes.

PAPE RUNS AHEAD

Clement carried Barre City by a big majority, although somewhat less than four years ago. Pape ran considerably ahead of his ticket, receiving a splendid endorsement from his fellow citizens. Wards five and four were the banner wards for Clement, while ward two was more favorable to Proctor. There was considerable delay in counting the ballots because of split tickets, voters doing a good deal of scratching.

VOTE FOR GOVERNOR IN BARRE.

The vote for governor in Barre was as follows:

	Proctor	Clement	Hanson	Sullivan	Scattering
Ward 1	99	134	4	6	0
Ward 2	153	138	9	5	0
Ward 3	113	198	5	18	0
Ward 4	37	196	1	14	0
Ward 5	27	115	1	18	0
Ward 6	50	106	2	6	5
Totals	499	897	23	67	5

Clement's majority in Barre is therefore 258 votes.

BRYAN IN WINDY CITY

Chicago, Sept. 4.—A string of automobiles carried William J. Bryan and the reception committees of the Jefferson and Roosevelt clubs this morning from the railroad station to the auditorium annex. Here he rested with his family until noon, when the reception committee from the Jefferson club escorted him to that building. Luncheon was served to the distinguished guests and 175 others. Informal speeches were made by Mr. Bryan, Mayor Dunne and President Eckart.

WILL SURELY WIN.

Says Tom Johnson of Bryan if the Late Runs.

Cleveland, Ohio, Sept. 4.—"Bryan stands for government ownership of railroads," said Mayor Tom Johnson this morning. "It means the nomination of Roosevelt and driving thousands of Democrats out of the party. But for every one who leaves ten men of other parties will take his place. Bryan will run against Roosevelt on this platform and surely win."

LOWEST IN 20 YEARS.

Thermometer Reached Low Water Mark for August Last Month.

Observer W. H. Alexander of the Burlington station of the United States weather bureau reports a mean temperature for August of 69 degrees which is also the average August temperature in Burlington for the past 20 years. The maximum for the month was 89 on the 12th and the minimum was 44 on the 12th. This is the lowest August minimum in 20 years. The precipitation amounted to 2.36 inches, the least for an August since 1894 the average August precipitation for the last 20 years being 4.04 inches. Rain fell on only nine days. The mean barometer was 30.04 inches. The prevailing wind was from the south and the month was made up of 13 clear, three partly cloudy and 10 cloudy days. An aurora was noted on the 12th and fog on the 23d and 24th. Thunderstorms occurred on the 4th, 5th, 10th, 11th, 20th, 21st, 22d and 23d.

EXPLOSION HURLS FOUR BOYS TO DEATH

One of Party of Five Lights a Match in Disused Mine in Nova Scotia.

Halifax, N. S., Sept. 4.—Four boys were killed by a terrific explosion in abandoned coal workings at Stellarton yesterday afternoon. The dead are two sons of Nell Quinn, a son of Joseph Frew and a son of Nell Patterson, all between 12 and 16. They, with another boy named Kornett, entered the mine after a ball. One lighted a match. A terrific explosion resulted. Frew was hurled through the top of a grave of creosote. Patterson and the other Gunn had been alive when found, but died in less than an hour. Young Kornett's arm was broken.

FRIENDLY SCUFFLE ENDS IN DEATH

Two Men Engage in Contest Over Possession of a Revolver and One of Them Was Shot Fatally.

Bennington, Sept. 4.—During a scuffle between two Italians employed on the construction of the electric railroad between this village and Pownal yesterday afternoon, Francesco Carpitto, aged 19 years, was shot and instantly killed. Carpitto and his companion, Geraci Mariani, were engaged in a friendly struggle for the possession of a double action revolver which was accidentally discharged. The ball from the pistol passed through Mariani's finger and through Carpitto's body near the heart. An investigation was at once instituted by State's Attorney Daly but there were no suspicious circumstances.

BURIED UNDER TENT.

Seventh Day Adventists Escaped Injury With One Exception.

Lawrence, Mass., Sept. 4.—The main assembly tent of the central New England conference of Seventh Day Adventists, now being held here, was blown over by the wind which accompanied a shower yesterday afternoon, and although there were 150 persons beneath, only one, Miss Mabel Lucas of Everett, was seriously injured. She was struck by one of the three main posts, two of which were broken, and her head was injured and her shoulder dislocated. Her injuries were dressed in the hospital tent by Dr. P. F. Haskell, the conference physician. Most of the people remained seated, but Miss Lucas, it is said, started for the entrance.

The tent is 110 by 70 feet in dimensions, and that more were not injured was doubtless due to the fact that it was swept to one side over the head of the assembly.

DEATHS 18 HOURS APART.

Robert Hare, Former Burlington Man, and Infant Granddaughter.

Rutland, Sept. 4.—Within 18 hours of each other, Robert Hare, a former Burlington man, aged 55 years, and his granddaughter, Evaline Laroux, aged two months, died at the home of the former's daughter, Mrs. David Laroux, in this city. The double funeral will be held Wednesday morning at the French Catholic church. Mr. Hare leaves besides Mrs. Laroux two daughters, who live in Rutland, Mrs. W. M. Kane and Mrs. George Bergeron. Three sons, Charles of Burlington and Robert and Charles of this city, also survive.

WOUNDED IN THE LEG.

Groton Man Was Hurt While Out Hunting Sunday.

A young fellow named Camo and residing in Groton is in the Heaton hospital, Montpelier, with a bad gun wound in one leg, received while he was out hunting in the woods near Lanesboro Sunday afternoon. The party was resting when one of the dogs started to bark. Without getting up Camo reached for his gun, seizing it by the muzzle. He drew the weapon towards him, muzzle first, and as he did so the trigger caught in a twig, the discharge following. The charge entered the fleshy part of the leg, and it was thought best to take him to the Heaton hospital.

PROMINENT ORANGE MAN.

Mason Bill Curtis Died Sunday, Funeral Tomorrow Afternoon.

Mason Bill Curtis died Sunday at his home in Orange following a shock. He was 64 years of age and had always resided in Orange where he was one of the prominent citizens, having held many offices. He leaves a widow, two daughters, Mrs. J. B. Emerson and Mrs. C. W. Emerson both of Orange, and one son, Fred Curtis, who resided on the home farm. The funeral will be held tomorrow (Wednesday) afternoon at one o'clock, the Rev. Frank Perkins of Washington officiating. The interment will be in the Orange cemetery.

COURTS OPEN TOMORROW.

Judicial Business Begins in Five Counties—The Presiding Judges.

Montpelier, Sept. 4.—Courts will convene on Wednesday in five counties of the State. Chief Judge John W. Rowell will preside at Burlington, Judge Loveland Munson at Newfane, Judge Samuel Haseltun at Newport, Judge George M. Powers at Montpelier, and Judge W. W. Jiles at Rutland. The September term of Franklin county court, over which Judge John E. Varnum is to preside, will convene at St. Albans on Tuesday, September 11, and Judge James M. Tyler will take the fall term of Essex county court, which meets at Guildhall, October 2.

FR. GAFFNEY CRITICALLY ILL.

Consultation of Physicians Held at Rutland Yesterday.

Rutland, Sept. 4.—The Rev. Thomas J. Gaffney, rector of St. Peter's parish in this city, is critically ill, with congestion of the lungs. A consultation of physicians was held yesterday afternoon.

TALK OF THE TOWN

The election returns will be received at the Vincetia club rooms tonight. C. D. Edgerston of Northfield was in the city today on a business visit.

Miss Ina Underwood, stenographer in the office of Scott & Townsend, left this morning for a two weeks' visit at her home in Zanesville, Ohio.

Mrs. D. C. Watt left this noon for New York to visit the millinery markets for ten days.

James Grant went to Albany N. Y., last night on a visit.

C. B. Bain went to Boston last night on a business trip.

N. Hatch went to Lowell, Mass., last night for a few days' visit.

James Crousebank and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McCarthy returned this afternoon from Rutland, where they went to attend the Labor day celebration.

ADDRESSES LABOR MEN

President Gompers in Rutland Yesterday

"ATTACK YOUR ENEMIES"

Great Celebration for Labor—Observance of the Day at Graniteville and at Bellows Falls.

Rutland, Sept. 4.—Rain early in the day prevented the many expected delegations from other towns from participating in the Labor day celebration here but the local unions turned out in force and although interrupted by frequent showers, held one of the biggest celebrations in their history, the principal feature of which was an address by President Samuel D. Gompers of the American Federation of Labor.

The men, representing 20 Rutland county unions, formed for parade in the business section at one o'clock and paraded to the fair grounds where field day exercises were held. President Gompers confined himself largely to Labor day saying that it stood for peace and prosperity and impressing upon his audience the importance of these two qualities in bettering organized labor. Labor, he said, has determined that its first duty is to defeat positively those who are seeking its suffrage and who have been hostile and indifferent to its just demands and to administer a merited rebuke to them. This will not only benefit the toilers but the people of our entire country.

Politically he said only: "Labor has always taken political action more or less. The politics of labor have been for the laborer and the common people with regard to party. As time goes on organization extends and the spirit of federation expands, gaining confidence, self-respect and power, and exerting these for the benefit and advantage primarily of the workers and necessarily for all the people. If they can hope to obtain their rights, labor men must show their teeth to their political as well as their economic opponents.

In referring to the gubernatorial campaign in this state, which will be decided at the polls today, Mr. Gompers said: "The man who misses the chance he now has to administer a stinging rebuke to the enemies of organized labor is unworthy of the name of a union man." The declaration of his opinion of the local campaign was the only one made by Mr. Gompers, and it was the signal for an outburst of enthusiasm. He advised unions to be always prepared for a fight.

SENER LEADS IN MONTPELIER

There was no choice for representative on the first ballot in Montpelier, the vote standing as follows: Sener, Democrat, 680; Harvey, Republican, 656; Dewey, Independent Republican 218.

Seaver Won in Williamstown.
The Republican candidate for representative, Seaver, carried Williamstown, having 141 votes to 74 votes for Poole, Democrat, and 16 scattering.

ROBINSON IN BERLIN.

Elected Representative on the First Ballot.

Berlin, Sept. 4.—E. G. Robinson was elected representative on the first ballot, the vote being 108 to 54 for Dailey.

Banquet in Barre Town.

Frank C. Bancroft was today elected representative for the Town of Barre by a majority of 101 out of a total of 305 votes cast.

East Montpelier.

The vote for representative was F. W. Colburn, Sept. 120; R. C. Collins, dem., 22; C. M. Clark, fusion, 42.

COMPLICATIONS MAY ARISE.

Over Seizure of American Vessel by Mexicans.

Galveston, Tex., Sept. 4.—There are fears of international complications to follow the action of the Mexican gunboat in capturing the American fishing smack Aloha, throwing the crew of 14 into prison and confiscating the boat and half the cargo. The Mexicans charge that the Aloha, which put into Cancun Gulf to escape a storm, violated the fishing treaty rights. The Aloha belongs to Gulf Fishers company, which had lost two other boats in the same way.

WAS PROMINENT IN MAINE.

J. Manchester Haines Died This Morning at Age of 67 Years.

Augusta, Me., Sept. 4.—The Hon. J. Manchester Haines, prominent in politics and business throughout the state, died this morning of a complication of diseases. He was 67 years old.

Vermont Man Taken Ill.

Newburyport, Mass., Sept. 4.—Herbert Farnsworth of Vergennes, Vt., who was traveling on a Boston-bound train, was taken seriously sick on the train and on its arrival here he was removed to a hospital. Relatives in Taunton have been notified.

ELECTION EXTRA--7.00 P.M. JACKSON ELECTED REPRESENTATIVE

S. HOLLISTER JACKSON Representative-Elect

PARADE STALLED IN RAIN.

Downpour Did Not Stop Labor Demonstration at Bellows Falls.

Bellows Falls, Sept. 4.—The Labor day parade yesterday consisted of more than 500 uniformed men from the several labor unions and made a fine appearance with flags, banners, floats and bands. The parade started in a pouring rain, but it did not make any difference in the number or enthusiasm.

The parade was made up of J. J. Collins, marshal, with E. W. Bourne, John Sullivan and Nicholas Powers as aids, followed by Wheeler's band, girls from overall factory in float, stationary engineers' union, papermakers' union, machine tenders' union, iron molders, citizens' band, painters and decorators' union, bartenders, barbers' float and pulp, sulphite and papermakers' union.

MONTPELIER DRUGGIST PAYS HEAVY FINE

Collins Blakely Pleads Guilty to Information Charging Him With Keeping Liquor—Fine of \$400.

Collins Blakely, a Montpelier druggist, at whose store a considerable quantity of liquor was seized in a raid several months ago, asked yesterday that State's Attorney Jackson file an information charging the keeping of liquor. This the state's attorney did, and the respondent lost no time in pleading guilty to the charge, the case coming up in the Montpelier city court. A fine of \$400 was imposed, which is \$100 more than the usual tax. In the case of State vs. Blakely, the liquor was waived his appeal, and the liquor was condemned. The total charges against the respondent amounted to \$425.56. State's Attorney Jackson was preparing evidence to present to the grand jury in this case, when the respondent took this unexpected action.

NELSON--NELSON.

Pretty Wedding at Swedish Church Hall Saturday Evening.

A very pretty wedding took place Saturday evening in Norden's hall, where the Swedish Baptist society of this city hold their services, when Miss Wilhelmina Nelson and Wilhelm Nelson were united in marriage by the Rev. H. Rosenbush of Concord, N. H., and the Rev. W. A. Kinzie. The ceremony was witnessed by about seventy relatives and friends of the contracting parties. The hall was very prettily decorated with flowers and leaves. A wedding march was played by Bateholder's orchestra as the couple marched to the front of the hall, followed by six bridesmaids and groomsmen. The bride was very becomingly dressed in white silk and wore a veil. The bridesmaids were Miss Adolphina Wamnerstrand, Miss Freida Johnson and Miss Matina Nelson. The groomsmen were Emil Larson, Walden Bengtsson, and John Berg.

Following the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson received the congratulations of the whole company and afterwards a reception was held at which refreshments were served and a short programme was given consisting of music by the orchestra, a recitation by Mrs. Erickson, a vocal solo by Mrs. Rosenbush, remarks by the Rev. Mr. Rosenbush and vocal duet by the Rev. and Mrs. Rosenbush.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson will reside in this city, where the groom is employed as a stonecutter at Robins Bros' shop.

HERMAN OELRICHS DEAD.

Demise Took Place on Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse.

Newport R. I., Sept. 4.—Herman Oelrichs of New York and Newport, died last Saturday on board the steamship Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, according to a wireless message received from the steamer yesterday by Mrs. Oelrichs. Mr. Oelrichs was on his way to this country from Europe.

Mrs. Oelrichs, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., and her son, Herman, left for New York during the afternoon to meet the body of her husband which is due to arrive in New York today. Charles M. Oelrichs, a brother, also left for New York during the day.

Jackson Had Majority of 16 Votes.

S. Hollister Jackson was elected representative of the City of Barre on the second ballot by a majority of 16 votes. The result was as follows by wards:

	Jackson	Mackenzie	Odgers
Ward 1	149	95	3
Ward 2	184	106	7
Ward 3	152	144	11
Ward 4	72	123	7
Ward 5	47	96	4
Ward 6	80	72	3
Totals	684	633	36

Jackson's majority 16.

Cabot's Choice.

Cabot, Sept. 4.—Charles H. Austin, Republican, was elected representative, receiving 156 votes to 46 for Lafayette Myers. There were 11 scattering.

The Times will issue another edition at 9 o'clock, giving later returns on the governorship vote.

THREE EVENTS TROTTED.

Bellows Falls Driving Club Had Labor Day Races.

Bellows Falls, Sept. 4.—The Bellows Falls driving club held races yesterday. The summary:

Free for All.
Purse \$200.
Carrie J. b. m. by Westwood, Jr. (Lovely).....2 1 1
Walpole Boy, ch. g. (Many).....2 2 2
Atlantic Belle, b. m. (Edwards).....3 3 3
Time 2:24 1/4, 2:26, 2:25 1/4.
3:00 Pace.

2:30 Class, Trot or Pace.
Purse \$100.
Lady Bird, r. m. by Early Bird (Griffin).....2 1 1
Pepper Chimes, w. g. by Elect. mont (Lovely).....1 2 2
Fulton, b. g. (O'Brien).....3 3 3
Dolly Abbott, b. m. (Abbott).....4 4 4
Time 2:49 1/4, 2:47 1/4, 2:48.

DROWNED FROM CANOE.

Mrs. Bertha M. Moore Victim at South Braintree, Mass.

Braintree, Mass., Sept. 4.—Mrs. Bertha M. Moore, wife of Richard S. Moore of Mt. Vernon avenue, was drowned at Sunset lake, South Braintree, at 7:30 last night while canoeing with her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore had arrived in town from the Weymouth fair when Mr. Moore suggested to his wife that they go for a canoe trip in a canoe that he had recently purchased. They had been gone from the clubhouse of the Braintree canoe club about 20 minutes when people on shore heard cries for help from the further side of the lake.

NUT BOY THE STAR.

Won the \$1,000 Charter Oak Trot at Hartford.

Hartford, Conn., Sept. 4.—Nut Boy, the bay gelding owned by J. N. Crabtree of Quincy, Mass., and driven by McHenry, was the star performer at the grand circuit yesterday, winning the \$1,000 Charter Oak trot. Gold Dust Maid was the favorite, selling for \$35 in the pools. The best she could do was fourth in the first heat. Second money to Mack Mack and fourth money to Advancer. Nut Boy's line in the second heat, 2:07 1/2, is a record.

MELLODY KNOCKED OUT.